products of Nepalese origin to the list of items which qualify for preferential entry into India interms of the Indo-Nepal Treaty of Trade, 1978, for purpose of exemption from basic and auxiliary duties of Customs under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962, together with an explanatory memorandum on the Notification. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4332/87].

I. Report and Accounts (1985-86) of the Tobacco Board, Guntur and related papers.

II. Report and Accounts (1985-86) of the Tea Board Calcutta and related papers.

III. Export of Frozen Clam Meat Quality Control and Inspection) Rules, 1987.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table—

I. (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (3) of section 22 read with sub-section (4) of section 19 of the Tobacco Board, Act, 1975:—

(i) Eleventh Annual Administrative Report and Accounts of the Tobacco Board, Guntur, for the year 1985-86, with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the Board.

(2) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the paper mentioned at 1(i) above.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4432/87 for (1) and (2)].

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Thirty-second Annual Administration Report of the Tea Board, Calcutta, for the year 1985-86.

(ii) Annual Accounts of the Tea Board, Calcutta, for the year 1985-86, and the Audit Report thereon.

(iii) Review by Government on the working of the Board.

(iv) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (i) and (ii) above.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4431/87 for (i) to (iv)].

III. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Commerce Notification S.O. No. 953, dated the 11th April, 1987, publishing the Export of Frozen Clam Meat (Quality Control and Inspection) Rules, 1987 under sub-section (3) of section 17 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4430/87].

I. Report and Accounts (1985-86) of the Central Cottage Industries Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi and related papers.

II. Report and Accounts (1985-86) of the National Jute Manufacturers Corporation Ltd., Calcutta and related papers.

III. Report and Account for the period from 1st April, 1985 to 30th June, 1986) of the manufacturers Development Council Calcutta and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table—

I. (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Central Cottage Industries Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1985-86, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4441/87 for (a) and (b)].

(ii) (a) Sixth Annual Report and Accounts of the National Jute Manufacturers Corporation Limited, Calcutta for the year 1985-86, together with the

Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the Corporation.

(2) Statements (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4440/87 for (a), (b) and (2)].

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Jute Manufactures Development Council, Calcutta, for the period from 1st April, 1985 to 30th June, 1986, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the Council.

(iii) Statement giving reasons for the delay in the laying the paper mentioned at (i) above.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-4442/87 for (i) to (iii)].

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION

SHRI VITHALRAO MADHAVRAO JADHAV (MAHRASHTRA): Sir, I beg to present the Seventy-first and Seventy-second Reports (in English and Hindi) of the Committee of Subordinate Legislation.

MESSAGES FROM LOK SABHA

(I) The Cine-Workers Welfare Fund (Amendment) Bill, 1987

(II) The Finance Bill, 1987

SECRETARY-GENERAL: Sir, I have report to the House the following messages received from the Lok Sabha, signed by the Secretary-General of the Lok Sabha:

(I)

"In accordance with the provisions of rule 96 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha, I am directed to enclose the Cine-Workers Welfare Fund (Amendment) Bill, 1987, as passed by Lok Sabha at its sitting held on the 4th May, 1987."

(II)

"In accordance with the provisions of rule 96 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha, I am directed to enclose the Finance Bill, 1987, as passed by Lok Sabha at its sitting held on the 4th May, 1987.

The Speaker has certified that this Bill is a Money Bill within the meaning of article 110 of the Constitution of India."

Sir, I lay a copy of each of the Bills on the Table.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO SHRI T. S. GURUNG

MR. CHAIRMAN: I have to inform Members that I have received a letter dated the 25th April, 1987 from Shri T. S. Gurung to the effect that due to present situation in the hills of Darjeeling District he is unable to move out. He has, therefore, requested for grant of leave of absence from all the sittings of the Rajya Sabha during its current Session.

Is it the pleasure of the House that permission be granted to Shri T. S. Gurung for remaining absent from all the meetings of the House during the current Session?

SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Sir, what are the circumstances? If the Member is prevented from coming here, you should give him protection and bring him here.

MR. CHAIRMAN: We will grant him the permission and then we will write to him that this is not a sufficient ground. I am not satisfied that this is sufficient ground. Should we grant him permission?

(*No hon. Member dissented*)